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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

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C | Figure 2 is a block diagram showing an exemplary embodiment of a method of the present invention.

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As shown in FIG. 2, an exemplary embodiment of a method of the present invention

C2 includes extracting a characteristic value from digital image signals and processing images according to the characteristic value.